

ELKS ARRANGE THREE-DAY CARNIVAL FOR VISITORS

Variegated Programme Closes With a Grand Ball and Banquet

Villa Wins a Great Victory at Saltillo In a Decisive Battle Lasting 40 Minutes

(By Associated Press.)
ESTACION, Amaregos, 19th, via El Paso, May 20.—General Villa, with four thousand troops, won the first important engagement at Saltillo on Sunday, the 17th, when he defeated 4,500 federals retreating from Monclova at Paredon. The constitutionalists lost 16 killed and 29 wounded. Villa captured 900 federals, nine pieces of artillery, a million rounds of ammunition, provisions and five troop trains.
At Paredon Villa prepared to receive the federals, who attempted to consolidate with their garrison at Saltillo. Villa divided his forces into three columns, leading one himself. In forty minutes the federals scattered in flight.

SUFFRAGETTES SET FIRE AROUND PALACE

(By Associated Press.)
ALDERSHOT, England, May 20.—A great brush fire, declared by the authorities to be the work of militant suffragettes, today encircled the royal pavilion, in Long Valley, where King George and Queen Mary are in residence, surrounded by troops.

INITIATION, DANCE AND DINNER WITH SOME OTHER ENTERTAINMENT THROWN IN FOR GOOD MEASURE

Saturday afternoon and evening those who wish to indulge in sky-larking. For three days Tonopah will turn over the keys of the camp to the B. P. O. E. and the visitors from Manhattan, Ely, Goldfield and Millers will have joy unconfined. The limit has been taken off and nothing but the blue sky will limit the funmaking propensities of those who wish to indulge in sky-larking. For three days Tonopah will turn over the keys of the camp to the B. P. O. E. and the visitors from Manhattan, Ely, Goldfield and Millers will have joy unconfined. The limit has been taken off and nothing but the blue sky will limit the funmaking propensities of those who wish to indulge in sky-larking.

Three Cornered Fight In Pennsy For Selection of U. S. Senator

(By Associated Press.)
PHILADELPHIA, May 20.—Boies Penrose, Republican, A. Mitchell Palmer, Democrat, and Gifford Pinchot, Progressive, are to make the fight for United States senator from Pennsylvania, at the November election, having won their respective party nominations yesterday, at the first statewide primary in Pennsylvania under the new federal constitutional amendment, providing for the election of United States senator by popular vote.

BRINGS HAMMER HOME WITH HIM TO SETTLE OLD GRIEVANCES

BULL MOOSER BEGINS KNOCKING SOON AFTER HIS RETURN.

(By Associated Press.)
OYSTER BAY, May 20.—Twelve hours after Roosevelt returned from South America he was back in the thick of politics. Up early, he began picking up threads where he dropped them seven months ago. It is said the colonel looks forward to the hardest political campaign of his career. He has in mind one of the longest campaign trips he ever made, from Atlantic to Pacific. For each of the ten days before sailing for Spain to attend the wedding of his son Kermit he has a program. He desires to get back and in touch as soon as possible with affairs of the Progressives, and help start the machinery for the coming campaign. He addresses the National Geographic society at Washington Tuesday, when he will make the first formal announcement of the discovery of a river in Brazil.
The Wilson administration attitude in the controversy with Colombia over the canal will be criticized. Roosevelt expressed himself opposed to repeal of the law providing for exemption of American coastwise vessels from the payment of Panama tolls. Today he told of his trip, how he ate monkeys, and details of his sickness. He lost 55 pounds, but is regaining. "Now I am feeling entirely fit," he remarked.

GOLDSEEKERS PULL OUT FOR STRIKE OVER STATE LINE

REPORTS OF THE PHENOMENAL STRIKE NOT CONFIRMED, BUT SCORES LEAVE FOR UTAH.

The reported strike of high grade gold quartz in Beaver county, Utah, just over the line from Lincoln county, Nevada, excited a good deal of comment last night around town. Locally there was not much enthusiasm, but Goldfield men seem to have been aroused by the reports, which they accepted without question. Some thirty tickets were sold yesterday at various points along the Clark road where stages could be had to the scene of the supposed find and a few went out by machines. This morning at daybreak Bob Govan hit the trail by auto just to satisfy himself of the facts first hand. He took no one except Bob, the porter of the Mixpah hotel, and expected to reach his destination about 6 o'clock this evening.
Beaver county has been the scene of several rushes, the most notorious of which was 25 years ago during the Silver Reef excitement, when the district around Mt. Davidson was staked out. Most of these claims have been abandoned and it is on the old locations that the best ore is said to have been found. Manager Hewitt, of the Goldfield hotel, told Bob Govan that his advice were to the effect that assays ranging from \$200 to \$400 were taken by the first locators two weeks ago, but whether this result was obtained from picked samples or were to be taken as an average the story did not state. Furthermore it was said that a townsite had been laid out and the croppings were so rich that the townsite had to be moved to a less slightly location.
Tonopah people are not inclined to be credulous over the highly colored stories, as it is said that the reports were circulated here two years ago by a prospector, who failed to get anybody interested. Then he went to work in Tonopah Extension mill, where he remained until several months ago. He left camp and returned about six weeks ago with a renewal of the old report, but failed to awaken any interest in the statements of wealth laying loose around Beaver county. Then he managed to interest a group of Goldfield men and the developments of yesterday are the sequel.

PAIR SHOSHONE STAR WONDERS ON TONOPAH TEAM

OSCAR MIKE AND JOHN ASH ARE A PAIR OF WORLD BEATERS

The two boys of the Tonopah Indian battery for the coming game with Goldfield, Sunday, are full-blooded Shoshones. They were born and raised in Nevada, and are graduates of the Carson Indian school. It was while attending this school that they took up the game of baseball. They were the star battery of the school, taking into camp such teams as Reno, Carson and Virginia City. They played the latter team for 15 innings, in which Oscar Mike, the catcher, broke up the game with a home run in the fifteenth. It is said by the different players that he has the fastest throw from home plate to the bases of any catcher in the state.
John Ash, the pitcher, can throw either with the right or left hand, but prefers the south paw in pitching. In the game with Goldfield last Sunday he struck out 18 Goldfielders and only allowed two hits.
These boys will be the battery for Tonopah Sunday in a return game with Goldfield. The rest of the team are practicing every day, as the showing they make with Goldfield next Sunday will decide whether they will be able to go to Reno on the 4th of July to contest for a purse of \$750. Goldfield has strengthened her team for Sunday and the people will get their money's worth. The game will be called at 2:30, and all should go out and root for Tonopah and see that famous Indian battery perform. The lineup of the team will be given Saturday night.

HUERTA IS READY TO RESIGN

(By Associated Press.)
MEXICO CITY, May 20.—Provisional President Huerta gave out a statement in which he said he had authorized the Mexican peace delegates to the Niagara Falls mediation conference to offer his resignation if that were necessary to bring about a solution of the Mexican situation.

CAR STRIKES AUTO AT COLUMBUS AND KILLS FIVE

DEADLY GRADE CROSSING RESPONSIBLE FOR WIPING OUT A FAMILY.

(By Associated Press.)
COLUMBUS, Ohio, May 20.—Five persons were killed today, twenty miles from Columbus, when a traction car struck an automobile on a crossing. The dead are: W. M. Miller, president of the Citizens' bank of Ashville, and wife; Mrs. Alice Stalger, Ashville; Vida Bond, five years old; and Mrs. C. E. Hills, Mount Sterling.

THREE BANDITS HOLD UP BANK AND GET AWAY

TAKE TO THE TIMBER WHEN PRESSED BY A WASHINGTON POSSE.

(By Associated Press.)
SPOKANE, May 20.—A hunt for three bandits who locked Cashier Newton in the vault of the State bank of Spangle, Wash., and escaped with \$5,000 was resumed at daybreak. They left Spangle in an automobile and took to the timber. Although masked, Newton said the robbers looked like young men.

AFTER 20 YEARS RELATIVES MEET ON THE DESERT

UNCLE AND NEPHEW ENJOY A REUNION AFTER LONG SEPARATION.

"J. W. Wainwright, Reno, Nev., was the name inscribed on the register of the Mixpah hotel at 1 o'clock this morning by a gentleman who arrived by auto from Manhattan.
As the belated arrival signed the register Manager Marks, who was reading the signature upside down as every well trained hotel man is taught to do, remarked:
"This is a singular coincidence, that we should have two men of your name, which is not so common in the house at the same time."
"Why? How's that?" inquired the arrival.
"Here is 'Morton D. Wainwright, Seattle, Wash., the first name among the arrivals this morning, rejoined Mr. Marks.
"I should say it was a strange fact. That's my uncle whom I have not met for twenty years, and if it wasn't too late I would pull him out of bed right now. He's a drummer and I have often been on his trail, but I've never been in the same house at the same time and I want you to tell him as soon as he gets up that his affectionate nephew is here and would like to see him."
The Reno Wainwright explained his late arrival by the fact that he had been hoofbeating after a man who bought an auto and, after paying a deposit of \$50 was advertising the machine for raffle at \$2 a throw. He said he had succeeded in recovering the machine and bringing it away with him and he supposed the Manhattan man would get the sheriff after him.
This morning both gentlemen met in the lobby of the hotel and exchanged greetings and family reminiscences.

NO COMBINATION OF EUROPEANS TO INJURE THE FAIR

ENGLAND DENIES THERE IS ANY UNDERSTANDING WITH OTHER POWERS.

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, May 20.—Specific denial of repeated assertions that Great Britain's attitude regarding the exposition in San Francisco was due to an agreement between England and Germany, was made in the house of commons by Francis Duke Acland, parliamentary under secretary of foreign affairs.
The house committee has about completed the work of redecorating and building, and the magnificent and imposing veranda extending clear across the sixty feet frontage and twelve feet in depth will be finished not later than tomorrow night. The balcony will add to the attractiveness of the Elks' home and afford the members a nice place for cooling off when the hot nights set in on the desert.
The list of candidates includes the following:
Chas. E. Stephens, Sunnyside, Nev.; J. H. Brightwell, Emery E. Orr, A. M. Hartwell, Cline V. Spell, C. B. Nance, Geo. Anderson, Raymond J. Doyle, F. E. McCarty, John G. Miller, H. Vandever, Rolla Mountgoy, W. J. Stead, John McNamara, Wm. H. Keim, David J. Floyd, D. L. Sullivan, J. C. Hallins, Joseph Flanders and James E. Voorhies, of Ruth, Nev.; Clarence S. Crain, O. G. Bates, Nathaniel J. Davis, William E. Bellows, John Eager and J. H. Dever, of Ely; Alex. McIntyre, Albert McFadden, J. W. Scott and Patrick J. Quinn, of Manhattan; Peter J. Glastier, Candalaria; Chas. DeFon and Noble C. Miller, of Tonopah; R. O. Noble and W. E. Rice, East Ely.

MASTER MIND OF NEW HAVEN DEAL WAS J. P. MORGAN

CHARLES MELLETHROWS FURTHER LIGHT ON HIGH FINANCE.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, May 20.—Details concerning the relations of the New Haven, Billars company, through which John Billars made nearly \$3,000,000, were given the interstate commerce commission by Charles Mellen, ex-president of the New Haven.
Counsel for the commission asked, "Was Morgan the 'master mind' of New Haven matters?"
Mellen replied: "His was the 'master mind' nearly everywhere that Morgan was."

OFFICERS GRAND AERIE ELECTED TUESDAY NIGHT

RENO, May 20.—The grand aerie of Nevada adjourned last night after electing officers for the ensuing year, as follows: J. Emmett Walsh, Goldfield, president; Frank Folsom, Reno, vice-president; H. M. Lillis, Las Vegas, chaplain; C. L. Richards, Tonopah, secretary; J. Evans, Tonopah, treasurer; Clyde Johnson, Goldfield, trustee; Peter King, Reno, and L. Smith, Las Vegas, conductor; J. G. Thompson, Goldfield, inside guard; J. Penrose, Yerington, outside guard.
Tuesday evening there was a banquet at which the Tonopah bunch got off some bright remarks.

SOCIAL LEADER TO ADOPT SIMPLE LIFE

YOUNG COUPLE TO BE MARRIED AT BEOWAWE TO LIVE DOWN ON THE FARM.

"I love the cows and chickens, and this is the life," so might Miss Helen Stone sing as she prepares to stock her ranch near Beowawe, Eureka county. She is a bride-to-be, a member of San Francisco's upper ten, and she shortly is to wed Grayson Hineckley. Notes have been sent to her friends that the most acceptable bridal gifts will be livestock for her ranch. Her father has started the ball rolling by promising a drove of hogs.
George Grayson, former cattle king of Nevada, once owned this ranch and it has descended to the prospective groom. It is now well stocked with cattle.
The wedding will take place May 20, and promises to be a unique event, through its lack of frills, despite the prominence of the contracting parties.
The Hineckley ranch will be in receipt of cows, pigs, chickens, hogs and other two and four-footed beasts galore from relatives and friends of the couple, and they say they really mean to develop the most up-to-date stock ranch in the state.—Eureka Sentinel.

MEDIATORS MEET AND DISCUSS THE PRELIMINARIES

FIRST FORMAL CONFERENCE OPENED AT NIAGARA FALLS, ONT.

(By Associated Press.)
NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., May 20.—Mediators and representatives of the United States and Huerta began their first formal conference looking to a settlement of the Mexican problem. Rules of procedure and preliminary organization proceedings were discussed. Elimination of Huerta is believed to be the question paramount in the minds of the mediators.
Evidencing apprehension, Bryan telegraphed Consul Hanna, at Monterey, asking if it would be feasible to send a messenger to Saltillo to determine if Consul Stillman ever had been released. His release was reported a week ago and there has been no word since. Some officials fear Stillman has been killed.
MESS OF MOUNTAIN TROUT DIRECT FROM THE TRUCKEE
The Bonanza is in receipt of a mess of mountain trout from the creels of Judge Salisbury and wife, Miss O'Hara and Jack Salisbury after a day spent turning the game fish from their cool retreat in the sparkling waters.
An American fire arms company has obtained a contract to supply 10,000 revolvers to the Greek army after competing with rival makers from several European countries.

DIED OF PNEUMONIA AT MINERS HOSPITAL

FORMER BODIE MINER SUC-CUMBS AFTER FOUR DAYS' ILLNESS.

Frank Conway, formerly employed at Bodie and for many years working as a miner around Tonopah, died this morning at six o'clock at the Mine Operator's hospital. The remains will probably be buried in the local cemetery, as deceased appears to have had no acquaintances or immediate relatives. His effects fail to throw any light on his past.
The dead man was about fifty years of age and recently worked at Silver Bow and Golden Arrow, but recently has been employed as watchman at the Belmont mine. Four days ago he was seized with pneumonia and removed to the hospital, where he failed to rally.

COUNTY WILL BUY A ROAD GRADER

The Lovelock Review-Miner says: If the farmers of the valley will signify their willingness to furnish their teams without charge during the quiet season—the drivers to be paid by the county—the commissioners state that the county will buy a grader and will do all the plowing for the roadmakers as well. Already several farmers have offered the use of their teams, among them being William Higgs and Crell Higgs. It is hoped that many of the farmers will assist in this movement with the ultimate result of good roads to their own doors.—Humboldt Star.

ONE OF THE DESERT PIONEERS DIES ON SAN DIEGO RANCH

T. A. Brown, former county commissioner of Clark county and for many years a prominent citizen and merchant of Searchlight, died at his home in La Mesa, San Diego county, California, Thursday, May 7, and was buried in San Diego the following Saturday in the Masonic cemetery.—Las Vegas Review.

THE TEMPERATURE.
Highest temperature yesterday, 76; a year ago, 62.
Lowest temperature last night, 55; a year ago, 45.